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Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please add the following sentence as the first sentence, following the title of the title of the application: --This application claims benefit under Title 35, United States Code §119(e) of United States provisional application number 60/228,914 filed August 29, 2000, U.S. provisional application number 60/197,089 filed April 14, 2000, and U.S. provisional application number 60/175,849 filed January 13, 2000. --

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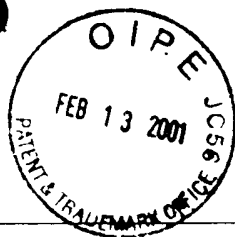
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Total Claims	95	95	= 0 ×	\$18	= \$0
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